The cars leaving Washington at six a. m. and five p. m. meet the cars from Baltimore at the Washington junction (or Relay House,) for Wheeling.

Wheeling.

The train leaving Washington on Saturday afernoon goes no farther than Philadelphia; the
me of Sunday morning only to Baltimore.

The cars leave the Alexandria (Va.) station,
corner of Duke and Henry streets, for Warrenton
and the intermediate routs, at eight o'clock a. m.

corner of Duke and Henry streets, for Warrenton and the intermediate points, at eight o'clock a. m. except Sunday, and at a quarter before two o'clock p. m. A daily stage runs between Gordonsville and Culpeper in connexion with the cars on this and the Virginia central roads.

The steamboats leave the wharf for the South at fifteen minutes past six a. m. and nine o'clock p. m., or immediately after the arrival of the first and the last train of cars from Baltimore.

The steamer George Washington or the Thomas Collyer makes three trips a week to Mount Vernon and Fort Washington, leaving the wharf at halfpast nine o'clock.

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The steamboats George Washington, Thomas
Collyer, and Union leave for Alexandria every hour during the day.

Arrangement of the Mails at-the Washington Post

Office, July 1, 1853.

The Great Eastern Mail, from Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Boston, &c., and Buffalo, &c., arrives at 6 a.m., and 9 p.m., daily; and the mail sent from the office, to and by those places, closes at 4 and 9 p. m., daily.

The Southern Mail closes daily at 7 and 9 o'clock p. m., and is received daily by 6 o'clock a. m., and 4 p. m.

The second Eastern and Great Western Mails are

received by 6 p. m.; the latter closes at 2 p. m., the former at 9 p. m., daily. The mail trains north of Philadelphia arrive there in time to connect with the train for Baltimore, which brings the Great Mail to arrive here by 6 a. m. No eastern mail is received at the office on Sunday night, and no eastern mail, to be sent beyond Bal-

ingut, and no eastern man, to be sent beyond bartimore, is made up on Saturday night.

The mail for Annapolis, Md., and Norfolk,\* and adjacent places in Virginia, is closed every night, except Saturday, at 9 p. m., and is received six times a week, with a mail from Baltimore, Md., by 12 m.

twice daily, by 8 a.m. and 5 p. m., and it is closed for that place at the same hours.

The mail from Rockville, &c., Md., is received by 6 p. m., and it is closed for those places at 9

p. m., daily.
The mail from Brookville, &c., Md., is received by 5 p. m. of Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, each week, and closes same days at 9 p. m. Papers and pamphlets can be sent, without be-

rapers and pamphters can be sent, without be-ing prepaid, to any part of the United States; but double postage is charged on delivery. The post-age on foreign printed matter must be propaid. The office is open at 6 a. m. for delivery of let-

ters and papers received by previous mails, and at 8 a. m. for general delivery, and at 8 o'clock p. m. daily, except Sunday, and on that day it is open from 8 to 10 a. m., and from 7 to 8 o'clock p. m.

\*Norfolk, &c., three times by Baltimore; four

ity-At a Meeting of the Brard of Direct-ors of the Metropolitan Mechanics' Institute, held at their rooms on Seventh street, the following res-

olution was passed:

Resolved, That the rooms of the Institute be opened daily through the week (Sundays excepted) from 4 to 10 o'clock p. m., and that the public generally be invited to visit the sa me.

CHARLES CALVERT,

June 17—tf Recor Jing Secretary.

13- Young Men's Christian Associa-13- Young Men's Christian Association.—Rooms Fowlers' Build'ing, Seventh street, below E, near the General Post Office.—The Library and Reading Rooms are open every day, (Sunday excepted,) between the hours of three and ten p. m. The best rel' gious newspapers and the standard reviews and m' agazines of this country and Great Britain arer egularly received.

Citizens and strangers will be cordially welcomed. By Order of the Association.

BROWN'S ESENCE OF JAMAICA GINGER.—"/HIS ESSENCE is a preparation of unusual excellence. In ordinary diarrhosa, incipient cholera—in short, in all cases of prostration of the diges dive functions it is of inestimable

And in Washington City, D. C., by Patterson & Nairn, Z. D. Gilman; and in Alexandria, by J. R. Pierpont.

June 27—W & S8m OFFICE OF CORRESPONDENCE,

Seventh Street, near the Post Office Department, Washington, D. C.

A LL PERSONS having business in Washington are informed that the undersigned has established herean OFFICE OF CORRESPONDENCE,

lished here an OFFICE OF CORRESPONDENCE, for the purpose of giving any information desired in relation to every possible and proper subject of inquiry by persons in any part of the world. Those wishing to know how to proceed in any business they may have before Congress, in the public offices, &c., will be discreetly advised; and when professional or other aid may be necessary, the best will be progressed or recommended. professional or other aid may be nece best will be procured or recommended.

The undersigned will regard all matters communicated to him in connexion with this office as sacredly confidential.

Every letter of inquiry must be postpaid and contain a fee of ONE DOLLAR, which will generally be the only remuneration required; but should it not compensate for the service to be rendered, the proper amount will be stated in a satisfactory Address (postage prepsid)
THOMAS C. CONNOLLY,
Office of Correspondence, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Thomas C. Connolly is known to us as a worthy citizen, a gentleman of intelligence, and a clear, accurate, and ready writer; and we regard him as eminently qualified for the able, prompt, and faithful performance of the useful duties connected with his new and original design of an Office of Corresponder RICHARD WALLACH,
[U. S. Marshal for the Dist. of Columbia.]
WALTER LENOX,

[Late Mayor of Washington.]
JO. GALES,
[Of the "National Intelligencer."]
R. W. LATHAM,

S. A. DOUGLAS,
[United States Senate.]
JOHN W. MAURY, May 13-dtf

[Mayor of Washington.]

AMERICAN HOUSE, Hanover Street, Boston. BY LEWIS RICE.

Rebuilt, Enlarged, and Elegantly Furnished.
Possessing all the modern improvements and
enveniences for the accommodation of the travelling public.
Boston, November 16, 1862. Dec 10-1y

BURKE ON THE MINERAL SPRINGS OF VIRGINIA; new edition, with map.

Mineral Springs of Virginia, with their Analysis, by John J. Moormaun, M. D.

Bix Weeks at the Fauquier Sulphur Springs.

The White Sulphur Papers, or Life at the Springs of Western Virginia, by Mark Pencil,

FRANCK TAYLOR.

PROPOSALS FOR TIMBER FOR THE

NAVY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF ORDWANCE AND HYDROGRAPHY,

July 22, 1853.

SEALED PROPOSALS, stadoreed "Proposals for

Timber," will be received at this Bureau until
three e'clock p. m. of the 22d of August next, for
furnishing and delivering, under contract, at each
of the several navy yards at Charlestown, Maseachusetts; Brooklyp, New York; and Gosport, Virginia, the following described timber, viz:

Western Our For Salatures WHITE OAK-For Azletrees.

190 pieces, length five feet eight inchrs; thickness, ten inches; breadth, fourteen inches
190 pieces, length five feet four inches; thickness, nine inches; breadth, twelve inches; thickness, the seed on the seed of the se

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320 pieces, length six feet two inches; thickness, seven inches, breadth, sixteen inches 60 pieces, length six feet; thickness, seven inches; breadth; twelve and one-half inches 320 pieces, length five feet two inches; thickness, seven inches; breadth, twenty inches 60 pieces, length five feet two inches; thickness, seven inches; breadth, sixteen inches 150 pieces, length five feet eight inches; thickness, six and one-half inches; breadth, thirteen inches 150 pieces, length four feet eight inches; thickness, six and one-half inches; thickness, six and one-half inches; there inches

For Transoms, (each piece making two transoms.)

For Transons, (each piece making two transons.)
80 pieces, length four feet eight inches; thickness, eight and one-half inches; breadth, sixteen inches
38 pieces, length four feet two inches; thickness, even inches; breadth, fourteen inches
(Being about ninety-one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two feet (board or inch measure) at each yard.)

HICKORY.

yard.)

Five hundred white hickory handspikes, six feet three inches long, three and one-half inches square at the butt, and two and one-half inches square at

the small end.

The above white oak timber must be of the best quality, and have grown within sixty miles of sea water, and taken from butt logs, clear of knots, rents, sap, and all other defects, and from the centre or heart pith. It must be got out fair, straight, to sharp corners, and without twist or wind.

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The timber for axletrees must be in single thengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom pieces to cut four lengths, and for the transom piece

have been made to the net dimensions to which it is to be worked; and no payment will be made for any excess beyond the aggregate number of feet herein stated for each yard. If any should be received under prescribed dimensions, the actual contents only will be paid for.

None of the timber will be received unless it is entirely to the satisfaction of the respective commandants of the yards at which it is delivered.

The deliveries may be made as early as suits the convenience of the contractors, but the whole must be delivered on or before the first day of July,

Separate offers must be made for the supply at each of the navy yards named, and for the white oak, and for the hickory, but the offers must be for all of the white oak and all of the hickory for each navy yard. The offer must be by the thousand feet, board measure, for the white oak timber, and by the piece for the hickory handspikes.

Persons whose offers may be accepted will be required to enter into contracts which, besides other conditions, will expressly provide that, in case they shall in any respect fall to perform the contracts, the same may be, at the option of the United States, declared null and void, without affecting the right of the said United States to recover for defaults which may have occurred, with the stipulation also that, if default shall be made by the contractor in delivering all or any of the times and at the places named, that then and in that case the contractor and his sureties will forfeit and pay to the United States, as liquidated damages, a sum of money equal to twice the contract price, which liquidated damages may be recovered from time to time as they accrue.

All the aforesaid timber must be subject to inspection and measurement, according to the "printed rules established for the inspection and measurement of timber for the navy of the United States," copies of which may be seen at either navy yard or navy agent's office.

No extension of time for making deliveries will

set forth in that instrument, and twenty per centum will be withheld from the amount of each payment as collateral security for its faithful performance. Eighty per centum of each bill, approved in triplicate by the respective commandants of said navy yards, will be paid by the navy agent at the point of delivery, within thirty days after its presentation to him, duly approved.

Every offer must be accompanied by a written guarantee (the responsibility of the guarantor or other official person, or by some one known to the bureau) that, if the offer be accepted, the bidder or bidders will, within ten days after the receipt of the contract at the post office designated, excaute the same, with good and sufficient sureties to furnish the articles proposed agreeably to the terms specified in the contract. The law of the 10th August, 1846, forbids the consideration of all proposes not accompanied by such guarantee.

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Those only whose offers may be accepted will be notified, and contracts will be forwarded without delay.

Persons offering are directed to designate the post office through which they desire to be addressed, and the navy agent to whom the contracts

shall be sent for execution.

Editors authorized to publish this advertisement will be specially notified by this bureau. None others will be paid for its insertion.

Form of guarantee (to be attached to each offer.) We, the undersigned, residents of , in the State of , hereby guarantee, in case the foregoing bid of be accepted, that he (or they) will, within ten days after the receipt of the contract at the post office designated in said bid, execute the same with good and sufficient sureties, to furnish the articles proposed, in conformity with the terms of the advertisement under which it is

hereby certify that, to the best of my know-ledge and belief, the above-named guarantors are good and sufficient. G. H., Navy Agent. Form of endorsement on the envelope transmitting the

offer. "Proposals for Timber," at the Navy Yard, (name the yard.)

Chief of Bureau of Ordnance and Hydrography, Washington, D. C. July 26-2aw4w

HOME PICTURES, by Mrs. Mary Andrews The Boyhood of Great Men, intended as an example to youth, with illustrations.

Helen and Arthur, or Miss Thusa's Spinning-Wheel, by Miss Caroline Lee Hentz.

No. 16 Bleak House.

Just received by

TAYLOR & MAURY, Booksellers, near 9th at.

DOEMS BY MEDITATUS .- The Wigwam and

FRANCK TAYLOR.

New Pork Advertisements.

D HODGMAN, No. 27 Maiden Lane and b Nassau street, (first corner from Broadway,) respectfully invites the attention of his old customers, and merchants throughout the country generally, to his stock of India Rubber Goods of his own

ally, to his stock of India Rubber Goods of his own manufacture, vis:

Coats, Capes, Ponchos, Pants, Overalds, Leg gings, Capes, Gloves and Mittens, Life Preservers, Overabres, Carriage Cloths, Piano Covers, Machine Beltir, Steam Packing, Door Springs, &c.; and every description of Rubber Goods manufactured will also be found as above.

My goods defy competition or comparison—are warranted proof against decomposition in any climate, and are offered for sale in large or small quantities, upon the best terms. Orders solicited and promptly attended to by

D HODGMAN,
27 Maiden Lane and 59 Nassau st., N. Y.
Sept 13

THE LARGEST ILK, RIBBON, AND TRIMMING HOUSE IN NEW YORK. THOMAS G. STEARNS, Importer and Jobber of Silks, Millinery, and Fancy Goods, 162 Broadway, New York,

HAS now in store and is daily receiving and offering at the lowest prices, a complete assortment of goods in his line, embracing all the various styles and designs, consisting of Black and Fancy Silks, Marcelines, Florences, Shawls, Trimmings, Bonnet Ribbons, Taffeta and Satin Ribbons, Dress Trimmings of all kinds, French and English Crapes, Crape Lisses, Silk Cravats, Embroideries, Gloves of all kinds, Silk Lace Mits, Bareges, Laces, White Goods, Hoslery, L. C. Handkerchiefs, &c. The undersighed invites the attention of the trade and his friends generally. Great inducements offered to cash and short-time buyers. THOS. G. STEARNS, 162 Broadway, Between Liberty st. and Maiden Lane, N. Y. Dec 25-1y

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SHANNONDALE SPRINGS

THIS healthy and beautiful Watering Place will be under the personal superintendence of the undersigned during the present summer, who will use every effort in his power to render it one of the most attractive and agreeable watering places in Virginia. It is situated on an elevation or spur of the majestic Blue Ridge Mountain, in the county of Jefferson, five miles south of Charlestown, the county seat.

Passengers leaving Baltimore or Washington by the morning train of cars will arrive at Harper's

Passengers leaving Baltimore or Washington by the morning train of cars will arrive at Harper's Ferry at half-past eleven a. m., from thence in the Winchester and Potomac railroad cars, ten miles to Charlestown, where a twelve-passenger coach will receive and convey them into Charlestown, and, if desired, to the Springs to dinner, over a good road and through a lovely country.

The analysis made by the late Dr. De Butts from one hundred grains of the water from the main fountain, afforded 53 grains of sulphate of lime, 101 grains carbonate of lime, 231 grains of sulphate of magnesia, (epsom salts,) 1 grain of the muriate of magnesia, 1 grain muriate of soda, 3 10 grains sulphate of iron, and 7-10 grains of carbonate of iron.

iron.
From the above analysis the waters of Shannon-From the above analysis the waters of Shannon-dale may very properly be classed among the Saline Chalybeates—a combination of the most valuable description in the whole range of mineral waters. It may therefore be positively asserted, without exaggeration or fear of contradiction, that no mineral water within the limits of the United States possesses the same constituent parts, or is a more salutary and efficient purgative, than the water of Shannondale Springs This water acts as gently as the mildest aperient, without giving rise to those unpleasant sensations of pain and debility so often occasioned by ordinary cathartics, prepared by the most skilful physicans.

The free use of this water acts almost immediately upon the skin and kidneys, removes worms, relieves the convalescent from bilious or other fevers, dyspepsia, dropsical swellings, calculous affections, hemorrhoids, scrofula, indigestion, theumatism, loss of appetite, exhaustion, general debility, gravelly concretions, strictures, and a variety of other diseases to which man is subject; and it is freely acknowledged by all who have been afflicted with any of the above diseases that the free use of the Shannondale waters have effected permanent cures.

Sulphur, mineral, hot and cold baths furnished

ed permanent cures.
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Sulphur, mineral, not and cold battle likelihood upon application at the bar.

The Hotel is large and commodious, the cottages numerous and comfortable.

The table will be supplied with the best beef, mountain and valley mutton, together with all the luxuries afforded in the fertile valley of Virginia. ginia.
The best wines, brandics, and other liquors can

always be had at the table or at the bar.

G. W. SAPPINGTON,

Proprietor of Sappington's Hotel, Charlestown

June 28—2awlm Jefferson county, Va.

Navy Department,
Bureau of Yards & Docks, July 18, 1853.

EALED PROPOSALS, endorsed "Proposals for
building a wall around the Cemetery near the
Naval Hospital, Norfolk," are invited, and will be
received by the Bureau of Yards and Docks, until Navy Department, Navy Department, lera and sur amer complaints of children it is peculiarly c'ficacious. No family, individual, or traveller statulates the influence of incipient disease which lurk in a changing climate.

Caution—Be sure to get the genuine essence, which is prepared only by F. BROWN, at his Drug and Chemical Store, N. E. corner of Fifth and Chesinut streets, Philadelphia, and for asle by all the respectable apothecaries in the United States.

States," copies of which may be seen at either may person and sur americance of children it is now y yard or navy agent's office.

Bureau of Yards & Docks, July 18, 1853.

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ScaleD PROPOSALS, endorsed "Proposals for now fulfilment will in the fine for mon-fulfilment will in a changing a wall around the Cemetery near the veceived by the Bureau of Yards and Docks, until the case of rigidly enforced. Bidders are therefore requested not to effer for more than they are sure they can furnish within the time specified.

Approved suretice in twice the estimated amount of each contract will be required in the manner folk, and a dead-house within the enclosure. All the materials and work to be in accordance with payment as collateral security for its faithful nerspecifications, which will be exhibited to bidders on application at the office of the Commandant of the Norfoth Navy Yard. July 19—lawi20Aug

BROWN'S HOTEL.

T. P. & M. BROWN, PROPRIETORS. Pa. Avenue, between 6th and 7th streets WASHINGTON, D. C. June 13-tf

LIBERTY STOVE WORKS & HOLLOW-WARE FOUNDRY, Philadelphia.

THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully inform the public, that having still further enlarged and improved their WORKS, and increased their facilities, they are now prepared to execute orders for stoves, hollow-ware, &c., on the most reasonable

stoves, hollow ware, &c., on the most reasonable terms.

They invite the attention of SOUTHERN and WESTERN MERCHANTS to their large and extensive assortment of NEW PATTERNS, all of which have been got up at great expense, combining originality and beauty of design, with durability, utility, and economy in their operation, comprising the most complete and varied assortment of STOVES ever offered for sale; consisting of Liberty Air Tight Cook, for wood or coal; Complete Cook; Star Air-Tight; Star Franklin; Star Radiator; Fire King Radiator; Improved Jenny Lind; Cannon Stoves; Bases; Bare Cylinders; Bar-Rooms; Radiator Plates; Tea Kettles; Ranges; Gas Ovens. &c., &c.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS desirous of ordering by letter can have a list of prices sent by mail, con-

by letter can have a list of prices sent by mail, con-taining drawings and descriptions of all the differ-ent varieties of Stoves, &c.

ABBOTT & LAWRENCE,

Brown St., above Fourth, Philadelphia.

Feb 28-law6m\*

TABLES OF THE PRIME NUMBERS and Prime Factors of the Composite Numbers, from 1 to 100,000, with the methods of their Construction and examples of their use. By Edward Hinkley, A. M.

The Life and Letters of Stephen Olin, D. D.; L.

Ranke's Civil Wars and Monarchy in France FRANCK TAYLOR.

A STORY OF SCHOOL LIFE—Edgar Clifton, or Right and Wrong; by C. Adams.
Discourses on the Unity of God; by William G. Eliot, of St. Louis.
Regeneration; by E. H. Sears.
The Prophets and Kings of the Old Testament; by F. D. Maurice.
Child's Matins and Vespers; by a Mother.
For sole at TAYLOR & MAURY'S Bookstore, near 9th stret. STORY OF SCHOOL LIFE-Edgar Clifton.

Child's Matins and Vesper Company of the South Store, near 9th stret.

DOEMS, BY THOMAS BUCHANAN READ.

The Sword and the Distaff, or Fair, Fait and Forty, a story of the South; by the author of Partisan, Walton, &c.

John Randolph of Roanoke, and other sketches of character, including William Wirt, with tales of real life; by F. W. Thomas, esq.

400 pounds twine, linen 100 do twine, cotton 50,000 pocket envelopes, of white or yellow paper, of the following sizes, viz. 8½ by 3½ inches per 100 sizes, viz. 8½ by 3½ inches per 100 or flat 100 do twine, cotton 50,000 pocket envelopes, of white or yellow paper, of the following sizes, viz. 8½ by 3½ inches per 100 sizes, viz. 8½ by 3½ inches per 100 flat or flat 100 do twine, cotton 50,000 pocket envelopes, of white or yellow paper, of the following sizes, viz. 8½ by 3½ inches per 100 sizes, viz. 8½ by 3½ by 3½ inches per 100 sizes, viz. 8½ by 3½ by 3½ inches per 100 sizes, viz. 8½ by 3½ by 3½ inches per 100 sis, by John J. Moormaun, M. D.

Bix Weeks at the Fauquier Sulphur Springs.
The White Sulphur Papers, or Life at the Springs of Western Virginia, by Mark Pencil, esq.
Saratogs Waters, by M. L. North, M. D.
Collon's Route Book through the United States.
Disturnell's Railway, Steamship and Telegraph
Book.
July 7 FRANCK TAYLOR.

DOEMS BY MEDITATUS.—The Wigwam and the Cabin, by W. Gilmore Simms; new edition.
Sword and Distaff; by W. Gilmore Simms.
The Pro-Slavery Argument as maintained by the most distinguished writers of the Southern Southern States. 1 vol.
Summer Stories of the South; by T. Addison Franck TAYLOR.

July 7 FRANCK TAYLOR.

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July 28 FRANCK TAYLOR.

July 19 Pooksellers need the South of the S

Booksellers, near 9th st.

PROPOSALS FOR STATIONERY.

DEFARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

WASHINGTON, June 23, 1852.

IN CONSEQUENCE of the informalities in the proposals received at this Department, pursu ant to the notice of the lath ultime, and in order to effect the object designed by the 17th section of the act of Congress approved the 26th of August, 1842, it becomes necessary to extend the time for receiving proposals.

Notice is therefore hereby given that sealed proposals for furnishing the stationery which may be required for the use of this Department and its several bureaus, during the fiscal year ending the 30th June, 1854, will be received at this Department until 3 o'clock p. sn., on Saturday, the 90th day of August next, when the bids will be opened in presence of such of the bidders as may be present.

Those unaccompanied by satisfactory testimosent.

sent.

Those unaccompanied by satisfactory testimonials of ability to fulfil a contract will not be

The bidder to whom the award may be made will be required to enter into contract within thirty days after being notified of the acceptance of his offer.

samples of which must accompany the bids, and the Department reserves the right to retain such samples and pay for the same at the prices stated in the offer, or to return them at its option.

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Each proposal must be signed by the individual or firm making it, and must specify a price, and but one price, for each and every article named in the schedule. Should articles be required not enumerated, they are to be furnished at the lowest market-prices, according to quality. Blank forms for proposals will be furnished at the Department to persons applying for them; and as, without uniformity therein, the Department would find it difficult to make a decision, none will be taken into consideration unless substantially agreeing therewith

All the articles to be furnished and delivered without delay when ordered, and to the satisfac-tion of the head of the office for which they are re

The Department reserves the right of ordering a greater or less quantity of each and every article contracted for, as the public service may re-

Bonds, with approved security, to be given by the person or persons contracting; and in case of a failure to supply the articles, the contractor and his sureties shall be liable for the forfeiture speci-fied in such bond as liquidated damages.

The subjoined list specifies, as nearly as now can be done, the quantity and description of the arti-cles that will be wanted: STATIONERY.

Writing paper, made of linen, laid or wove, ite or blue—

15 reams folio post, satin or plain finish, faint lined, and trimmed, to weigh not less than 17 po inds per ream

50 reams foolscap, hand made, faint lined, and

trimmed, to weigh not less than 12 pounds

as despatch or consular paper, to weigh
not less than 16 pounds per ream
150 reams quarto post, hand made, plain, faint
lined three sides, per ream
125 reams quarto post, machine, plain, faint
lined three sides, per ream
5 reams quarto post, hand made, plain, faint
lined four sides, per ream
6 reams quarto post French, faint lined three
sides, per ream

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15 do note paper, gilt, per ream large size

5 do do plain do do do

10 do do gilt do do small size

5 do do plain do do

6 do do plain do do

do royal paper, for books
do medium paper, for books
do copying do do
do envelope paper, yellow or buff, royal 60 do envelope paper, flat cap, white or blue

10 do large brown envelope do
20 do blotting paper, royal do
25 dozen patent blotting paper
20 sheets drawing paper, antiquarian per sheet
25 do do do do elephant do
50 do tracing paper largest size Franch do

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50 do tracing paper, largest size French do
24 do drawing paper, royal do
,000 binder's boards, 6½ by 10½ inches per 1,000
450 dozen cards Perry's best metallic pens 250 do cards of all other manufacture in use per dozen cards

40 gross metallic pens per dozen cards
15,000 quills, No. 80 per 1,000
10 dozen ever-pointed pencils, silver per dozen
10 do do silver desk pencils, with
rosewood handles per dozen
40 gross of leads for ever-pointed pencils, assorted sizes
75 dozen Contee's best black lead pencils, graduated 40 gross metallic pens

duated 100 do Monroe's or other manufactured pencils, graduated 10 do red lead-pencils drawing pencils, assorted 20 do folders, ivory, 9 inch do 600 do red linen tape, assorted do 60 do silk taste, assorted colors and widths,

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do do cocoa do
do paper weights, assorted
do quarto portfolios, with locks do
do cap portfolios, with locks do
do do without lock
do best gold pens, with silver cases do
do do tin do
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blades, buckhorn handles, per dozen, genuine desk knivea, Rodgere & Son's, one blade, ivory handle, per dozen, gen-

wafer stamps, ivory handles, per dozen wafer stamps, lignumvitæ handles, per dozen office shears, 11 inches, per dozen

4 do office shears, 11 inches, per dozen
4 do office scissors, per dozen
12 do inkstands, cut glass, recently invented fountain, movable tops, per dozen
4 do inkstands, cast iron, large, double
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15 gallons ink, black, Maynard & Noyes's, per

gallon 600 bottles ink, black, Maynard & Noyes's, in

bottles, per quart

10 quarts ink, red, per quart

75 bottles of ink, black, Cooper & Phillips's,
or equal, per quart bottle

30 bottles ink, blue, Stephens's per quart bot-300 do ink, red, Arnold's, or equal, in 1-pint

bottles, per bottle carmine ink, small size, French or 120 do carmine ink, small size, Freilich of equal

500 do ink, copying, Terry's, in 1-pint in bottles, per hottle

80,000 wafers, large red, for office seals, per 1,000 and wafers, common size, red, per pound to sealing wax, best extra superfine, scarlet do do black do do do lindia rubber, prepared do do unprepared do do unprepared do guarts black sand

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camel's hair pencils, assorted
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